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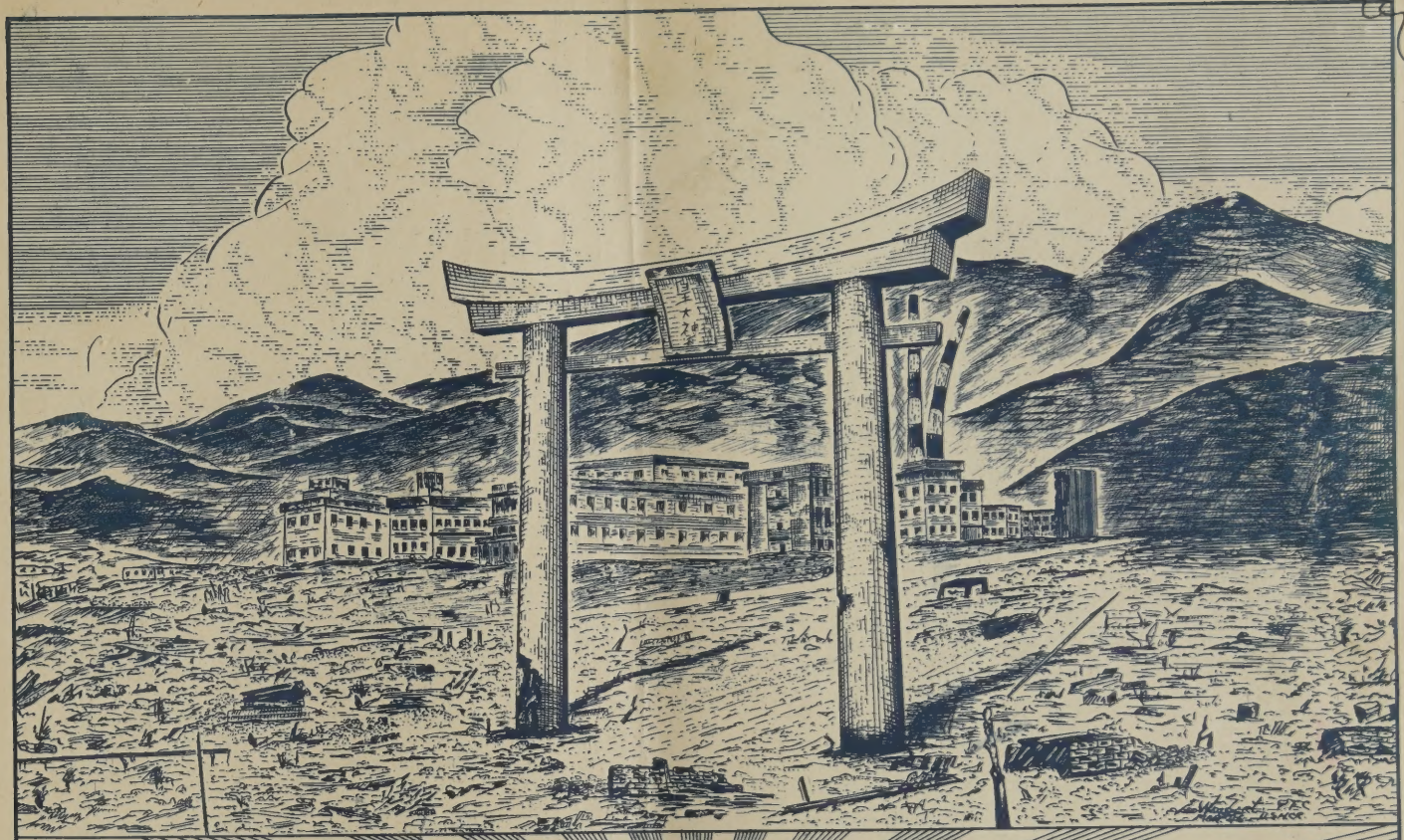


PICTORIAL ARROWHEAD

OCCUPATION OF JAPAN BY SECOND MARINE DIVISION

DORMAN E. NIX

Major General LeRoy P. Hunt U.S.M.C.
Commanding General,
2nd. Marine Division F.M.F.

WHERE WE WOULD HAVE HIT, D-DAY 1 NOV. 1945

BLUE BEACH

JAPANESE FOXHOLE OVERLOOKING
THE INVASION AREA

THE SECOND DIVISION BEACH AREA
IN SOUTHWEST KYUSHU ACROSS
THE PENISULA FROM KAGOSHIMA

HERE AS EVERYWHERE ON KYUSHU ARE
RUGGED HILLSIDES OF TERRACED FIELDS

WHERE WE DID HIT, SUNDAY, 23 SEPT. 1945

THE CONVOY PULLS INTO THE TARGET AREA—NAGASAKI

AND CIGARETTES WERE STANDARD INVASION EQUIPMENT

OVER THE SIDE MEN THIS IS IT

PRECEDENT IN THE PACIFIC--
JAPANESE CRANES UNLOAD AMERICAN GEAR

JAPS CAME TO SEE-- MARINES

"C" RATIONS

DE JIMA WHARF

BEDDING DOWN IN A MITSUBISHI FACTORY

10 IN 1

SHOWERS "In The Field"

NO HEAT, NO PIPES, NO NOTHING

THE SIGN SAYS SO, SO IT MUST BE SO

KWASSUI SCHOOL

FROM THE TENTS OF SAIPAN WE MOVED TO BARRACKS LIKE THESE

THEIR POLE, OUR FLAG

COLORS

ALL KINDS OF JAP WAR GEAR WERE FOUND

DUKWs

BAKA BOMB

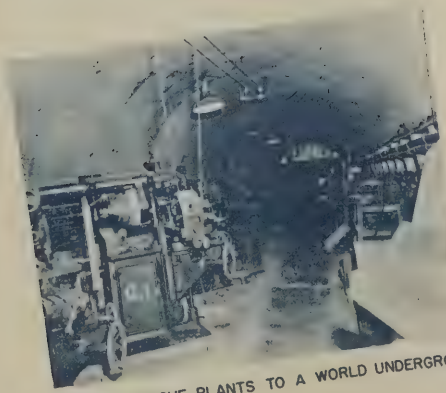
MIDGET TANK

FIVE MAN SUBS AT THE BIG KOYAGI SHIPYARD

JAP WAR GEAR CONTINUED

PATROLS DISCOVERED COASTAL DEFENSES.....

.....WITH SUPERB FIELDS OF FIRE



BOMBINGS DROVE PLANTS TO A WORLD UNDERGROUND

BOMBPROOF BIRDS NEST

THESE MITSUBISHI WAYS AT NAGASAKI BUILT BATTLESHIPS

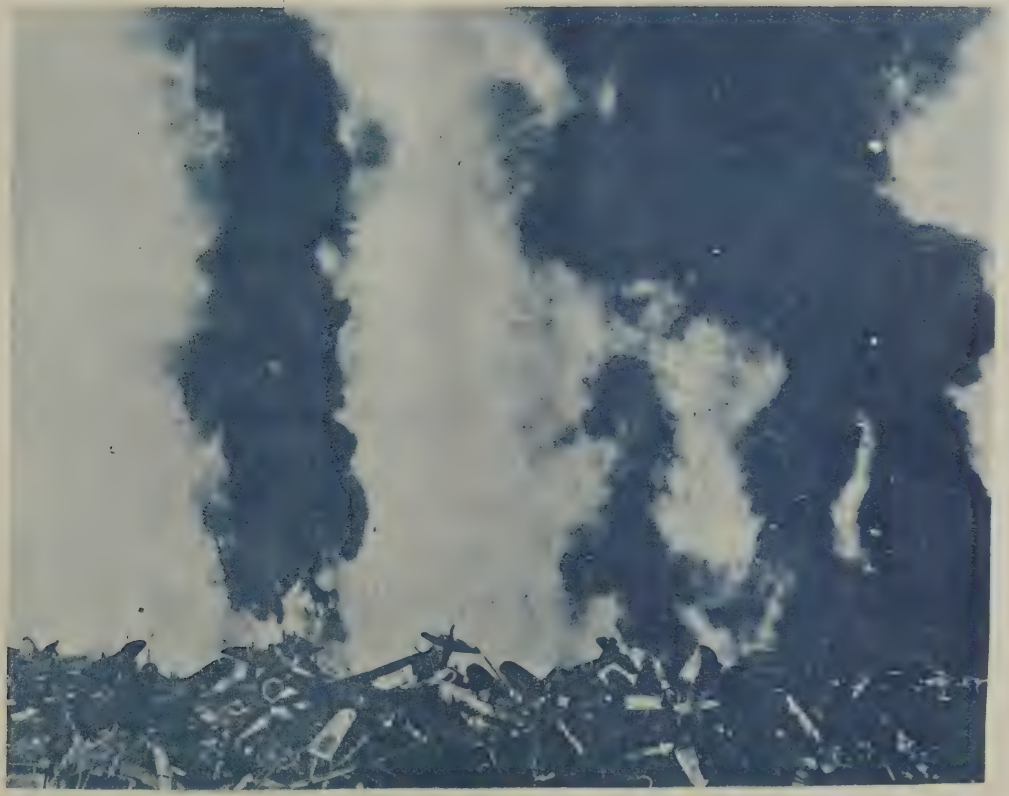
DISARMING JAPAN

WAR GEAR WAS INVENTORIED.....

.....AND GIVEN THE DEEP SIX

CONSTRUCTIVE DESTRUCTION

STACK ARMS !



DISPOSITION

REPATRIATION

THESE SOLDIERS NEED NO POINTS FOR DISCHARGE

WHAT CHA' GOT IN THERE, MAC?

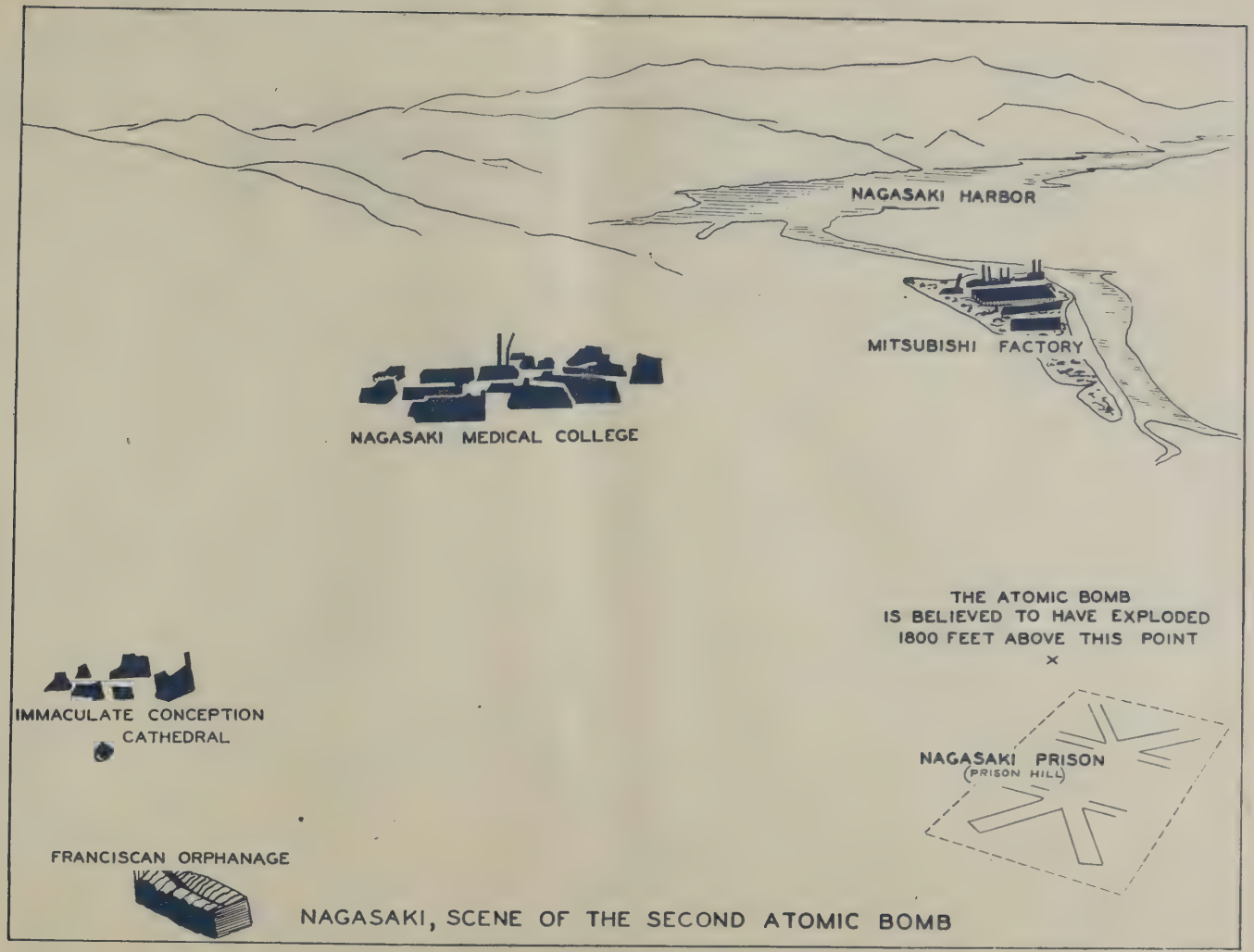
SHAKE-DOWN

MEDICAL CHECK

JAPANESE BRASS

WITH VARYING EXPRESSIONS CIVILIANS SHOW CREDENTIALS

VALLEY OF DEATH



NAGASAKI, SCENE OF THE SECOND ATOMIC BOMB

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
BEFORE AND AFTER THE ATOMIC BOMB

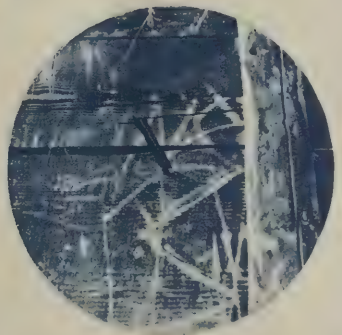
1925

PRIOR TO THE ATOMIC BOMB
THE NAGASAKI DIOCESE
CONSISTED OF 16,000 MEMBERS,
TODAY 8,000 MEMBERS REMAIN.

1945

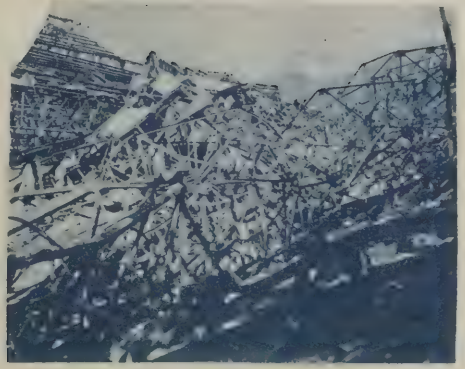
A ROOM GUTTED BY THE BLAST

AN ARCH FRAMES PART OF THE MEDICAL SCHOOL



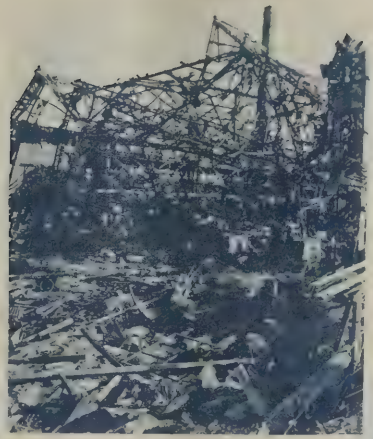
HURRICANIC WINDS
DROVE THIS WOODEN
SPLINTER INTO A BOARD

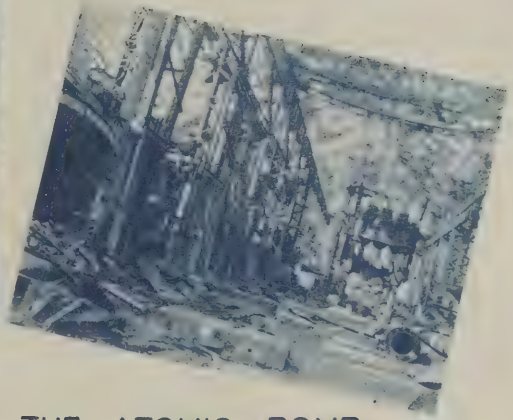
RAILS, CHIMNEYS & RUBBLE



GIRDERS THAT ONCE HOUSED A FACTORY

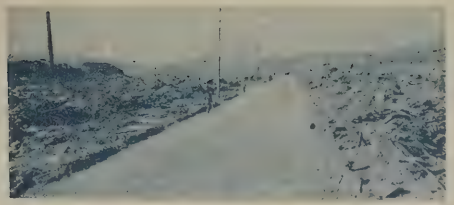
MITSUBISHI FACTORY

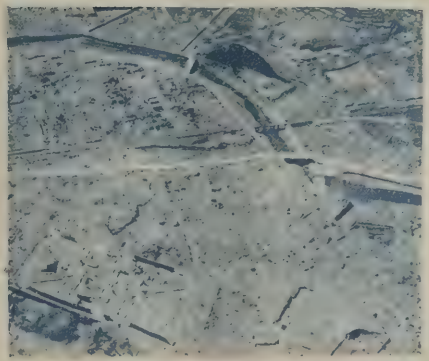


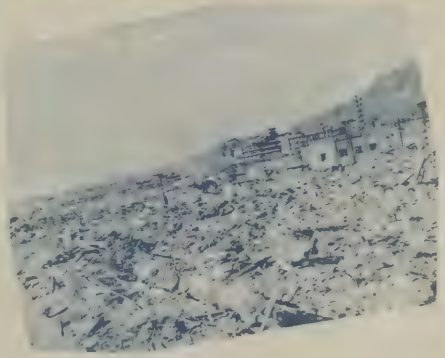


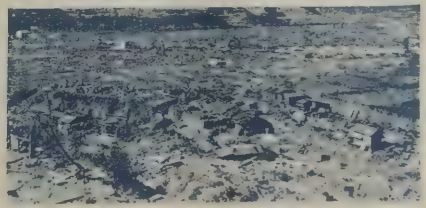
ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL TARGETS OF THE ATOMIC BOMB

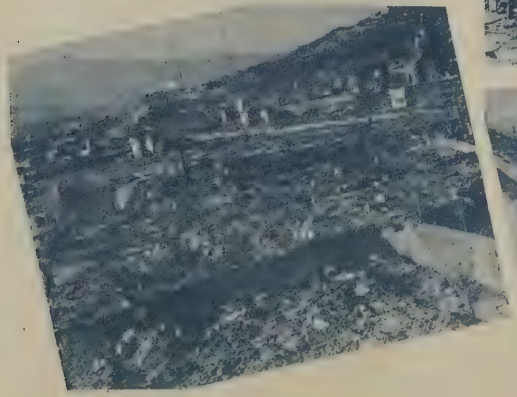
TYPICAL SCENES IN
THE BOMBED AREA











IN THE RUBBLE OF THE ATOMIC BOMB, WE MADE

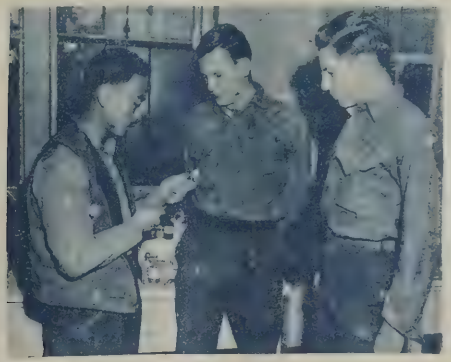
A SUPPLY DUMP

A RIFLE RANGE

A GRID IRON

(THE ATOMIC BOWL GAME, NEW YEAR'S DAY)

JAPAN OR ANY OTHER PLACE



SHOTS THAT DID'NT STOP WITH V-J DAY
--THE CORPSMAN AND HIS NEEDLE

CHOW DOWN

THE SMILES LASTED ONLY LONG ENOUGH FOR THE PICTURE

DARLING, TODAY WE...

THE PHRASE BOOKS

2. GENERAL EXPRESSIONS

GREETINGS

English	*Hepburn Spelling*	*Japanese Writing*
Good morning	Ohayō	オ早ヨウ
Good day *or* Good afternoon	Konnichi wa	今日ハ
Good evening	Konban wa	今晩ハ
Good night	Oyasumi	オ休ミ
How are you?	Ikaga desu ka?	如何デスカ
I am well	Genki desu	元気デス
Thank you	Arigatō	有難ウ
You're welcome	Dōitashimashite	ドウ致シマシテ
Help yourself *or* Please	Dōzo	ドウゾ

IT WAS THE KIDS WHO TAUGHT US JAPANESE

WA KARIMASU KA?

GETTING THE SCOOP

HERE AND THERE

DIVISION BAND AT THE ATOMIC BOWL GAME

RECREATION

SAIPAN MODEL

HAVING 'EM CUT DOWN

COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS AT THE RED CROSS

BIIRU

WIN, PLACE AND SHOW

AT THE RED CROSS

WATCH THE BIRDIE

GOING SHOPPING

SOUVENIR RECONNAISSANCE, D+1

JOTO

WELL COME TO WHOSE U.S.M.C.?

WHERE ?

I KURA DESU KA?

¥ 100

"KIMONO"

SNAPPING IN FOR STATESIDE

LETS GO TO THE RESTAURANT

¥30

CHECK YOUR HAT?--
I MEAN, YOUR SHOES!

CHOP STICK ARTISTS

A GEISHA DANCES

EAST & WEST

50 SEN A DANCE

OUR EQUIPMENT FASCINATED THEM

SO DESU KA

SOME TUB-U

"EVENTS"

CHRISTMAS CAROLS SUNG IN ENGLISH BY GIRLS
OF METHODIST KWASSUI SCHOOL

UNDER A NIPPON PARACHUTE

PREPARING FOR THE CORPS' 170 th BIRTHDAY

FIRES, LIKE THIS AT THE TANK BN.,
DESTROYED THE BARRACKS OF MANY UNITS

CHEWING GUM-MI? CHOCOLATO?

ARIGATO

TOMODACHI!

A STICK OF GUM OVERCOMES RELUCTANCE

MOST JAPANESE ARE BUDDHISTS

PRIESTS

GATE TO A TEMPLE

ALTAR

A CLASS OF YOUNG CATHOLICS

CHRISTIANITY IS WELL ESTABLISHED IN JAPAN

JAPANESE AT WORK

"...LIKE A CHINESE FIRE DRILL"

WHIPPING UP BATTER FOR A MUD ROOF

JUN-SA

NIP WORKING PARTY

JAPANESE AT WORK CONTINUED

----------THE HONEY DIPPERS ----------

ALL FOULED UP

OPEN AIR MARKET

FISH ON A RACK

NIP MESS GEAR

NIPPON CHOW

A & P

ROLLING RICE BALLS

WOMEN'S SECTION

LITTLE OLD LADY

WEIGHT LIFTERS

FARMERETTE

WOMAN CARAVAN

NURSE

PIN-UPS

JUST KIDS

ONE LEGGED RACE

WRESTLING

PIGGY-BACK IS NOT A GAME IN JAPAN

LITTLE MAN

BASHFUL OJOSAN

FAMILIAR SIGHTS ON KYUSHU LANDSCAPES

VOLCANO NEAR KAGOSHIMA

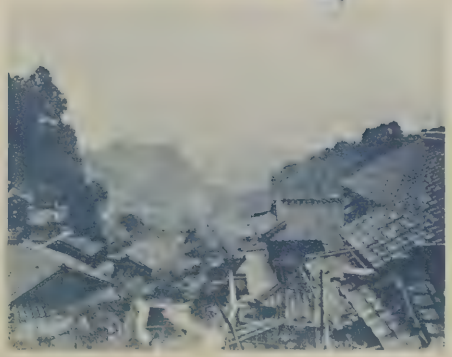
LIGHTS ON

FISH

RICE STRAW ROOFS

BOMBED KAGOSHIMA AND VOLCANO

RESIDENTIAL STREET SCENES



THE DREAM OF MOST PACIFIC MARINES

PICKING A SOUVENIR

BTO's WITH REDCAPS

AND YOU'RE WELCOME TO IT, BROTHER

GOIN' HOME

BREAK OUT THE "MARINE HYMN"

SAYONARA

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